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MEMORANDUM TO: Assistant Director, Office of Collection and Dissemination

SUBJECT: Collection of Data Regarding Official Guidance of Local Nationalism by Japanese Authorities during World War II.

- 1. It is requested that material refer ing to official Japanese guidance and inspiration of local nationalism in the various countries of Southeast Asia during the Second World War be collated, extracted and translated as necessary, with a view to determining the extent of such quidance and the nature and dimensions of local response to such measures. It is suggested that Documents Franch 00, be asked to cooperate in the fulfillment of this request.
- 2. It is suggested that direct contact and liaison be authorized between the Documents Branch, OC, and Far East/Pacific Branch, ORE, for the joint conduct of this project and those to follow. Insofar as ONE is concerned, and subject to the approval of the Assistant Directors of OCD and OO, such direct contact and liaison is approved.

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